

MISSION COVERAGE STATISTICS

# KH-4 MISSION IIII-I

23-30 JULY 1970

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## INTRODUCTION

This publication provides preliminary mission data, Greenwich Mean Time of passes, correlation of photographic coverage with WAC chart Areas, coverage plots, and preliminary data for Mission llll-1, dated 23-30 July 1970.

Plot sheets are arranged by geographic areas as indicated by the index tabs. Coverage of the Eurasian land mass is divided into days to eliminate illegible overprinting.

Plots for the forward and aft cameras are portrayed as stereoscopic and/or monoscopic passes. Stereo passes will be shown with the forward-looking camera frame numbers inside the pass outline and the corresponding aft-looking camera frame numbers outside the pass outline. In the event of monoscopic coverage, only the frame numbers of the operative camera will appear. The relative location of photographs falling between the numbered frames may be approximated by interpolation.

All frames are indicated on the plot sheets, regardless of water coverage, total cloud cover, or a complete lack of imagery.

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## PRELIMINARY MISSION DATA

Mission Number: 1111-1

Launch Date/Time (GMT): 23 July 1970/0125Z

Photo Dates (GMT): 23,24,25,26,27,28,29 July 1970

Recovery Date/Time (GMT): 30 July 1970/0200Z

Operational Photo Passes: 44

Operational Altitude Limits: 88 - 147 Nautical Miles

Photo Scale Range: 1:270,168 - 1:450,808

Operational Ground Coverage (Fwd and Aft):

a. Linear Nautical Miles: 46,008 b. Square Nautical Miles: 6.901.200

#### Frames:

a. Operational

Fwd-Looking 2,876 Aft-Looking 2,875

- b. Stellar 4,830
- c. Index 2,415

Operational Imagery Footage (Fwd and Aft): 14,245

Anomalies: No major anomalies occurred

Vehicle Attitude: Normal

# Image Quality:

- a. Main Cameras The image quality is generally good. Unlike Missions 1109 and 1110, most imagery from this mission retains its sharpness at magnifications up to 50 times.
- b. Stellar Cameras The stellar cameras were operational throughout the mission. Only three to five star images are recorded in most starboard formats whereas an average of 20 images are recorded in the port formats.
- c. Index Cameras A one-inch wide band near the format center is degraded by a series of intermittent plus density lines. This anomaly is similar but less severe than that experienced on Mission 1110.

Cloud Free Coverage: Approximately 73 percent of the entire mission is cloud free.

# GREENWICH MEAN TIME

These times are derived from preliminary data and cannot be verified at this time. They are carried to the nearest whole minute.

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